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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

An extension of time is hereby requested under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

Authorization is hereby given to charge the following fee and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company:

[X] Three month extension under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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